PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT[641]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)"b."

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code sections 17A.7 and 135.11, the Department of Public Health hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 171, "Petitions for Rule Making," Iowa Administrative Code.

This chapter provides a description of the procedure for the submission, consideration and disposition of a petition for rule making. The proposed amendment strikes the reference to 1998 Iowa Acts.

Any interested person may make written comments or suggestions on the proposed amendment on or before February 16, 2010. Such written comments should be directed to Barb Nervig, Department of Public Health, Lucas State Office Building, 321 E. 12th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. E-mail may be sent to bnervig@idph.state.ia.us.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code section 17A.7.

The following amendment is proposed.

Amend **641—Chapter 171**, implementation sentence, as follows:

These rules are intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 17A as amended by 1998 Iowa Acts, chapter 1202.